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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
7 AT SEATTLE

8 JAMES D. GRIEPSMA,

9 Plaintiff,

10 v.

11 CHRISTIAN J. ANDERSON, et al.,

12 Defendant.

Case No. C19-181-RSM-MLP

MINUTE ORDER

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14 The following Minute Order is made at the direction of the Court, the Hon. Michelle L.
15 Peterson, United States Magistrate Judge:

16 Plaintiff has filed a letter which appears to ask the Clerk for guidance regarding service
17 on Defendants, raising new claims, and deadlines for filing pleadings. (Dkt. # 39). Plaintiff is
18 advised that neither the Clerk nor the Court can provide legal assistance to a litigant. Plaintiff is
19 also advised that all communication with the Court should be done through motions, not through
20 letters to the Clerk. Plaintiff is strongly encouraged to consult the Federal Rules of Civil
21 Procedure, this district's Local Rules, and the Court's pro se manual, "Filing a Complaint in your
22 Own Behalf."
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The Clerk is directed to send copies of this minute order and Pro Se Instruction Sheet to Plaintiff.

Dated this 13th day of November, 2019.

William M. McCool
Clerk of Court

By: Tim Farrell
Deputy Clerk